

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

AMIT GUPTA, et al.

Serial No.: 08/868,972

Filed: June 4, 1997



Group Art Unit: 2731

Examiner: Brenda Pham

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THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  
☐ Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	30	30	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	10	10	0	\$78.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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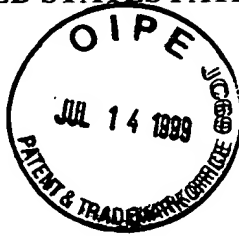
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action of April 14, 1999, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 8, line 13, change "21" to --21A--;

Line 15, change "22" to --21B--;

Page 11, line 17, delete "230";

Line 18, after "fabric" insert --230--;

Line 25, delete "A control device or controller 200.";

Page 12, line 5, after "fabric" insert --230--;

Line 5, after "unit," insert --240, 250--;

Line 7, after "part" insert --220--;